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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: WESTERN FIVE MEETING ON MAPUTO CONFERENCE

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1. WESTERN FIVE AMBASSADORS MET AT UK MISSION ON MAY 5
TO DISCUSS MAPUTO CONFERENCE. AGREEMENT WAS REACHED ALONG
GENERAL LINES OF REFTEL, ALTHOUGH UK (DRAWING ON TEL FROM
FONSEC OWEN) WAS STRONGLY OPPOSED TO BECOMING INVOLVED IN
NEGOTIATIONS AT ALL, WHILE CANADA STRONGLY FAVORED MAKING
AN EFFORT TO MODERATE THE TEXT.

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2. FIVE AGREED TO MAINTAIN COMMON POSITIONS ON ZIMBABWE AND
NAMIBIA THROUGHOUT THE CONFERENCE, IN BOTH PUBLIC SPEECHES AND
PRIVATE CONVERSATIONS. UKUN HAS AGREED TO PROVIDE A PAPER
ON BRITISH POSITIONS ON ZIMBABWE NEGOTIATIONS FOR THE USE
OF THE OTHER FOUR DELEGATIONS; AGREED "BRIEFING POINTS"
WILL PROVIDE PARALLE BASIS FOR WESTERN FIVE POSITIONS

WITH RESPECT TO NAMIBIA. ALL WILL BE WILLING TO DISCUSS
THE TEXT OF THE EVOLVING MAPUTO DECLARATION AND POINT OUT
PROBLEM AREAS, BUT ALL REALIZE FINAL RESULT WILL ALMOST
SURELY BE TEST ON WHICH THEY WILL HAVE TO RESERVE, OR
A CONSENSUS FROM WHICH THEY WILL
HAVE TO DISASSOCIATE THEMSELVES.
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